## **AMENDMENTS**

Please amend the application as set forth below.

## In the Claims

Please amend the claims as set forth in the claim listing which begins on page 3 of this response.

## Claim Listing

Claim 1 (currently amended): A process for making the The compound of formula (II)

wherein

R<sup>1</sup> denotes bromine,

wherein,

a the compound of the formula (TV)

is reacted with elemental bromine in a diluent.

Claim 2 (original): The process according to claim 1, wherein the diluent is dichloromethane.